Please amend Claims 1, 4 and 6 as follows:

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1. (Four times Amended) An information processing apparatus [processing apparatus] comprising:

reading means for reading image information including character data including a phone number recorded in a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the character data in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for additionally registering the character data recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching the character data registered in said registering means for a desired phone number;

display means for displaying a plurality of [the] phone numbers searched by said searching means, the image information read by said reading means and the character data recognized by said recognizing means;

selecting means for selecting one of the plurality of [the] phone numbers;

control means for performing communication processing on the basis of the one phone number selected by the selecting means; and

storage means for storing a document to be transmitted,

wherein said control means performs control of [transmitting] transmission of the document to be transmitted stored in said storage means on the basis of the desired phone number searched for by said searching means.

4. (Three times Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:

reading means for reading image information including character data including a phone number recorded in a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the character data in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for additionally registering the character data recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching the character data registered in said registering means for a desired phone number;

display means for displaying a plurality of [the] phone numbers searched by said searching means and for displaying the character data registered in said registering means in accordance with a type of the character data;

selecting means for selecting one of the plurality of [the] phone numbers;

control means for performing communication processing on the basis of the one phone number selected by the selecting means;

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manual means for correcting and changing the
character data displayed on said display means; and

storage means for storing a document to be
transmitted,

wherein said control means performs control of
[transmitting] transmission of the document to be transmitted
stored in said storage means on the basis of the desired
phone number searched for by said searching means.

6. (Two times Amended) An information processing
apparatus comprising:

reading means for reading image information
including character data including a phone number recorded in
a recording medium;

recognizing means for recognizing the character
data in the image information read by said reading means;

registering means for additionally registering
the character data recognized by said recognizing means;

searching means for searching the character data
registered in said registering means for a desired phone
number;

display means for displaying a plurality of
[the] phone numbers searched by said searching means;

selecting means for selecting one of the
plurality of [the] phone numbers;

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